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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: H. ISHIKAWA et al.

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For: FRONT DEVICE

Group: 3652

Examiner: D.W. Underwood

Customer No. 24956

**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop Amendments**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks are included following the amendments.**